Mountain Weather Forecast

Mourne Mountains

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Saturday 04 Mar 2023 until 23:59 on Sunday 05 Mar 2023

Forecast Issued on Friday 03 Mar 2023 at 11:20

Confidence: Generally high over the weekend, and for a change to significantly colder conditions on Monday and Tuesday. Low confidence for Wednesday.

Headline for Saturday 04 Mar 2023: Dry cold and cloudy. Light winds.

Mountain weather hazards on Saturday 04 Mar 2023

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Low Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 700m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy	Dull	Dull	Dull	Dull
Precipitation probability							
<05%	<05%	10%	10%	10%	10%	10%	10%

Forecast for Saturday 04 Mar 2023

Weather: Largely dry but cloudy throughout. Some brighter spells in the morning, but thicker cloud in the afternoon and evening.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: 60%

Low cloud and visibility: Generally good visibility, but cloud bases occasionally dipping to around 700m, affecting the higher summits.

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Forecast for Saturday 04 Mar 2023

Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	8/12 N	6/9 N	7/9 NW	9/14 NW	5/9 NW	6/10 NW	10/15 NW	10/14 NW	9/14 NW
300	5/9 N	5/7 N	5/8 N	6/10 N	4/8 NW	5/9 W	6/11 NW	5/10 NW	6/11 NW
Valley	5/9 N	5/7 N	5/8 NW	5/10 NW	4/8 NW	5/9 W	5/10 NW	5/9 NW	5/9 NW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	0/-4	-0/-3	-0/-4	0/-4	1/-1	2/-1	1/-3	0/-4	0/-4
300	2/-1	2/-1	2/-1	3/0	4/2	4/2	3/1	2/0	2/-1
Valley	3/0	2/0	2/0	4/2	5/4	5/4	4/2	3/1	3/1
<< Freezing Level*	500m	500m	500m	400m	500m	600m	600m	600m	500m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Nothing further to add.

Forecast for Sunday 05 Mar 2023

Weather: Dry but cloudy through the early hours. Cloud thickens around dawn with patchy rain or sleet, falling as snow above 600-700m, the odd heavier shower possible late morning. Drier with some brighter spells in the afternoon, but a few rain showers possible. Cloud increases again after dark.

Maximum wind: Northwest 5-10 mph, increasing to 15 mph by mid-morning. Occasionally 20-25 mph in the evening.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: 30% in the morning 60% in the afternoon.

Low cloud and visibility: Visibility generally good below cloud bases. Cloud base often around 400-500m in the morning. Patchy cloud around 600-800m in the afternoon and evening.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 2 Celsius rising to 8 Celsius.
At 700m: Minus 1 Celsius rising to plus 1 Celsius in the afternoon.
Freezing level: 400-500m, rising to 700m in the afternoon, above the summits in the evening.

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